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Respectfully Submitted,

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Response Under 37 C.F.R. § 1.116
Group Art Unit 2875

In re Application of:

Docket No. 03500.011293.1

MAKOTO OGURA

Application No.: 09/342,255

Examiner: T. Sember

Filed: June 29, 1999

Group Art Unit: 2875

For: LIGHT CONDUCTIVE MEMBER
 ILLUMINATING DEVICE HAVING
 THE SAME, AND INFORMATION
 PROCESSING APPARATUS HAVING
 THE ILLUMINATING DEVICE

Date: January 25, 2002

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Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application.

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- Applicants' undersigned attorney may be reached in our New York office by telephone at (212) 218-2100. All correspondence should continue to be directed to our address given below.

Respectfully submitted,

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